

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jean I. Montagu et al.                      Art Unit : 1654  
Serial No. : 10/524,615                                      Examiner : Neil N. Turk  
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

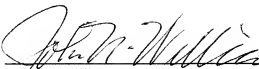
Please extend the period for response to the action dated March 31, 2008, for two months **to and including September 2, 2008 as August 31, 2008 falls on a Sunday and September 1, 2008 falls on a holiday.**

The fee in the amount of \$230 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, Referencing Attorney Docket No.13165-005US1.

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